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The Home of Yellow Jack.

[Fannie B. Ward's Mexico Letter.]

In Vera Cruz, whenever an old wall is disturbed or a street dug into, the fever is sure to break out with redoubled force in that locality, which proves that the germs are always present, though sometimes dormant till disturbed. Two years ago the disease was particularly prevalent, because the main street had been torn up for laying a car track. During seasons of epidemic, when Vera Cruz is crowded with the dying—though the hospitals are many and nurses faithful—stranger patients need not expect much care. Money cannot buy nor Christian charity bestow that for which the demand is so much greater than the supply.

Frightful tales are told of numbers who barely escaped being buried alive—and alas! only on the resurrection day can it be known how many poor wretches have actually met that terrible fate. Last year, as the driver of the cart which conveys corpses from hospital to cemetery was making his noctural journey, he was frightened nearly out of his senses by one of the cadavers suddenly kicking the cover off his coffin and demanding to know his destination! Others, but carelessly buried, have been known to unearth themselves and have been found sitting at the cemetery gates in the morning, airily attired in winding sheets.

Your correspondent can testify from personal experience that yellow fever, when not contracted during a time of violent epidemic, is by no means the worst sickness under the sun. Everything depends upon careful nursing, and possibly somewhat upon temperate habits and the previous condition of the system. The majority do not die, and it must be remembered that only the number of deaths are recorded, not the thousands who recover. It certainly has the advantage over the Roman fever, typhoid and kindred diseases, in that one is quickly killed or cured, and there are no "secondary stages nor bad effects lingering in the blood.

When I fell into uneasiness one hot March morning—after vainly "kicking against the pricks" for many days—the Vera Cruz friends seemed to regard it in the light of a pleasant joke which could have but one happy termination, viz., immunity from future danger. The brave little lady in whose house we were has nursed many of her country people through the fever, and not one has died.

Queer Corean Customs.

The primitive sackcloth is still the mourning raiment of the Coreans. During a visit paid by the squadron under the command of Admiral Willes to ports on the east coast of Corea, the officials were wearing "grayish hempen garments," which in that country denote mourning, and the admiral was informed that the whole nation had gone into mourning for a year for the queen, who had died in consequence of the shock to her feelings caused by the proceedings of the rioters at Seoul. In the matter of dress generally the Coreans are favorably spoken of, nearly every one being decently dressed, and a real well dressed Corean, in his broad hat and whitest robes, is said to have an eminently respectable and well-to-do appearance.

Their towns, however, offer a distinct contrast, sanitary science being little understood, and architecture not having got beyond a rudimentary stage; but in one respect they seem to be ahead of the west. The smoke from the fires is made to pass in flues beneath the rest of the house, and although the chimney is projected in an incongruous way into the street, the whole building is warmed by a limited expenditure of fuel.

A Seventy Dollar Toy Gun.

[Chicago Herald.]

[illegible] among [illegible] of yachts. There are no pirates [illegible] and cannons are [illegible] craft but they [illegible] ing" in [illegible] ppy [illegible] his boat. [illegible] cient location, is ca[illegible] ration by manufacturing [illegible] gun about eighteen inches [illegible] an inch and a quarter bore. It is set upon a carriage of regulation navy shape, and is as complete in all particulars as if it had really done duty on board a spick and span man-of-war. It is a cute and pretty plaything, with its shining surface almost as bright as gold, but expensive. It costs $70.

Still Superstitious.

Though the Hawaiian people have been partially converted to the Protestant religion, they still are superstitious, and call upon their gods and goddesses to help them in any great trouble.

A Roar of Horse Laughter.

[English Paper.]

Two soldiers, who may be known as Corporal Flynn and Pat O'Neil, were one day discussing the respective merits of the infantry and cavalry, the one maintaining the first to be the better service, and the other as enthusiastically upholding the cavalry. After a long argument, the corporal exclaimed:

"Troth, thin, ye may prate about yer horse, an' yer sword, an' yer spikes, but I stick to it that the infantry is better than the cavalry."

"Hould yer whist!" cried Pat. "Don't be talkin' that way. Why, man, if you was to repate thim words out in the line, ivery mother's son of the horses would laugh at ye."

This latter fact the corporal denied, and the two thereupon proceeded to the horse lines, accompanied by several witnesses.

"Now, thin, what did ye say?" inquired Pat, when they had reached the scene of trial.

"I say again the infantry is better than the cavalry."

Instantly a simultaneous roar of laughter burst from 700 throats, and the animals so moved to mirth were indeed horses. The laughter continued in every tone of voice, from the deep bass guffaw to the treble, whinnying giggle. The owners of the 700 throats also exhibited their merriment in a variety of fantastic ways, such as snorting, pawing, biting, kicking, plunging and rearing, and were only restrained by the strong head and heel ropes which kept them within due bounds.

"Ha! ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho! Hi! hi! hi!"

"Well, do ye give in that even the horses laugh at ye?" cried Pat.

"Troth, thin, it's mesilf that was wrong intirely," said the corporal.

How was the trick accomplish? Pat had artfully managed it so that they should make the trial just as the clock was on the stroke of 12, knowing that the horses were fed at that time, and that, at the first blast of the trumpet for "feed" they would neigh with impatience until served with their corn. It was at the moment when he saw the trumpeter raise his instrument to his mouth, that he invited the corporal to repeat his assertion.

Very Young Widows Advertised For.

[India Social Reform.]

A widow of a Bengali, Brahmin caste, 13 years of age, lost her husband six months after marriage. Her father wishes to give her in marriage to a Bengali Brahmin of high clan.

A Bengali lady, of Brahmin caste, who became a widow when she was 11 years of age, and who possesses a fair complexion and long, beautiful hair, and whose moral character is most unexceptional, is prepared to marry a gentleman of her own caste according to orthodox rites.

The guardians of a Khatri (caste) lad of Kapur clan, aged 18, who is the scion of highly respectable family, and is receiving education in English and Persian, are willing to encourage the system of widow marriage by marrying him with a widow of the same caste.

Required, a match for a Bengali widow of a Vaidya caste, aged 14, who had been married at her 11th and lost her husband at her 13th. She is of a "wheat" complexion, of good features, and can read and write Bengali tolerably well; knows the alphabet of English and is very intelligent; can knit comforters, stockings, etc., pretty well, and is very willing to work. The candidate must be a member of the Vaidya caste, and of respectable family. He must be well educated and of good moral character.

Required, an educated widow 13 to 15 years of age. She should be of good shape, feature, complexion, temper and health, and not suffering from any hereditary disease, daughter of a well to do gentleman, and of respectable caste—for an enlightened young Bengal Zimindar, (landlord), of respectable caste and family, accomplished, well built and free from every present and idiopathic malady. He is prepared to meet agreeable demands, and in order to encourage widow marriage among the nobles and gentries he is desirous of presenting the bride at the wedding with jewels worth 10,000 rupees.

How Signatures Are Obtained.

[Brooklyn Eagle.]

The ease with which signatures can be obtained for almost any sort of petition was under discussion by several members of the produce exchange. It was remarked that solid business men were not so ready to write their names as had been imagined, and that papers asking for appointment to political positions were the documents on which the autographs meant nothing. A dissenter from that view offered to bet that he could get fifty signatures within two hours to a petition formally imploring the British government to make immediate war with Russia, in order to benefit business in the exchange. The wager was made.

The maker of the proposition wrote out the request in formal language, at the top of a long sheet of paper, and made a round of the floor at the most bustling hour of the day. "Here," he would say to a hurried member, "I want your name on this paper. It's something for a friend of mine. Read it." Sometimes the man would glance at the writing, see the joke and promise silence, but in the requisite fifty instances the signatures were appended without the slightest scrutiny and on the bare assurance that it was "all right." Finally the remarkable petition was posted on the bulletin board to raise immoderate laughter.

A Tallow Tree.

[Galignani's Messenger.]

This remarkable tree is a native of China. In the island of Chusan quantities of oil and tallow are extracted from its fruit, which is gathered when the tree has lost its leaves. The twigs bearing the fruit are cut down and carried to a farm-house, where the seed is stripped off and put into a wooden cylindrical box, open at one end and pierced with holes at the opposite one. The box is then suspended in a cylindrical kettle containing water, and the diameter of which differs but little from that of the box.

The water is then made to boil, and the steam penetrating into the box, softens the fruit, facilitates the separation of the [illegible] about a quarter of an hour's exposure to the steam the seeds are poured in a [illegible] mortar, where they are stirred about [illegible] tallow has been separated into a [illegible] is afterwards poured into [illegible] a hole at the bottom, through which it is driven by the action of a press. It comes out perfectly white, free from all impurities, and soon becomes solid.

Hyde Park Herald: The public is interested in the health of every member of the community. Anything that injures a man's health injures the community to which he belongs.

DISTRUSTFUL TROUT AND SALMON.

Seeing So Many Artificial Flies, Fish Learn to Distrust the Real Insect.

[Chicago Times.]

Several years ago, the great naturalist, Frank Buckland, whose death produced profound sorrow to the lovers of birds and animals in every part of the world, called attention to the fact that salmon, trout, and other game fish could not be caught by means of artificial flies in certain lakes and streams in England. There was no trouble in catching them with this sort of bait in the lakes and streams in Scotland and Wales, and in those portions of England where scientific fishing tackle had not long been used. The fish in the streams that had long been visited by town anglers, however, were not to be tempted by artificial bait of any sort. During the last two or three fishing seasons it is reported that these fish, which are the joy of the angler, will not touch the May fly, which is the article of food of which they were formerly the most fond, and which has generally been employed for bait by fishermen since artificial flies, grubs, and minnows have been rejected. They have apparently come to distrust everything but vegetables and animalcule.

A scientific angler in a communication to an English sporting paper states that he spent an entire day trying to induce some fine trout to accept the tempting food he offered them. He displayed before their eyes and within reach of their mouths some twenty varieties of artificial flies, grubs, and fish, but they were all looked upon with disdain. He then baited his hooks with May flies, but the cautious fish were not to be tempted by these. Presently some May flies approached his boat and, as is usually the case, some of them touched the water and were held fast. Some of the trout and other game fish rose to the surface, surveyed the creatures, and then slowly moved away. They were evidently hungry, for they searched the sand and mud on the bottom of the lake in quest of food. If they found small insects they would eat them.

The conclusion of this angler was that these fish have been educated up to a point where they have become useless to the fisherman. Acquired knowledge has made them over cautious. They are no longer credulous, like the trout and salmon in the streams which few fishermen have visited. They know quite too much to be imposed upon. They have seen some of their former friends and companions take tempting-looking insects and small fishes into their mouths, after which they were pulled about in the water against their will, and finally drawn into a boat or thrown upon dry land. They are not willing to run the chance of being treated in this ugly fashion. In fact, in his opinion a race of fish has been evolved by "natural selection" that decline to touch artificial bait or May flies. As their numbers are not lessened by anglers, they have multiplied. The ignorant and entirely uneducated sorts of fish have diminished in number. Only the kinds of fish survive that decline artificial bait and May flies. It is another example of "the survival of the fittest."

And now comes a distinguished disciple of Darwin and Spencer, who declares that the former inhabitants of Alaska were very highly civilized, and made use of artificial bait for catching salmon. He draws his conclusion from the circumstance that the salmon of Alaska will not touch artificial bait or flies. They learned from their remote ancestors to avoid them under penalty of being caught. The consequence was that the salmon multiplied. The effect was bad, however, on the inhabitants. Not being able to procure brain food, they declined in intellect and diminished in numbers. At present the salmon of Alaska are among the wisest of their race, while the men stand very low in the scale of intelligence.

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Daily Colonist.

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MR. FERRY AND HIS ADMINISTRATION.

Time was—and not very long ago—that when a French ministry was defeated its members hid themselves from popular observation until their crimes had been forgotten. M. Ferry, whose policy brought on the Tunisian and Tonquin wars, retired from office a few months ago in disgrace. Every one supposed that he and his ministerial colleagues would seek that repose from public life which oblivion is believed to confer. Every one was mistaken. The first thing M. Ferry did was to convene a meeting of his constituents, and in spite of threats of personal violence and frequent interruptions, to pluckily explain his policy and claim the credit of having extended the colonial empire of France and secured an honorable peace with China. He also astonished the legislators by appearing among them and taking part in the debates as leader of the opposition. This departure from the time-honored practice of French premiers when in disgrace provoked a storm of hostile criticism; but M. Ferry stood his ground and bravely and ably defended the acts of his ministry. A few days ago there was a heated debate in the chamber of deputies in which M. Ferry took part and actually carried the great majority of the body with him in his defence of colonial expansion. His speech was really addressed to the constituencies, as the chamber will shortly be dissolved. But it must be confessed that his chances of returning to office are slight. The stream of French politics, like that of a river, does not run backwards, except in a convulsion. The scene in the chamber while M. Ferry spoke must have been very exciting. We quote from the Times' report:

M. Ferry began by disclaiming any intention of making a personal apology, for he had always been governed by higher considerations. "You have done the country a mischief!" exclaimed M. Brialou. "I shall take no notice of interruptions," replied M. Ferry, who appealed to his silence in the discussion on the Chinese treaty as a proof that he knew when patriotism required him to hold his peace. If he now rose it was to draw a moral from yesterday's debate; for whereas on Saturday the prevailing sentiment had seemed to be in favor of the abandonment of Madagascar, the fault alleged yesterday had been that sufficient resolution had not been shown. The opposition had, in fact, softened down yesterday.

M. Révillon—You are insolent!

The President—The speaker's language is quite parliamentary.

M. Denayrouse here rose, and, amid an uproar, apostrophized the Extreme Left. The president called both M. Denayrouse and M. Révillon to order, stating that he should uphold freedom of speech for every speaker.

M. Denayrouse—As M. Révillon is also called to order, I am content.

M. Ferry, as a proof of the change of front on the part of the Extremists, instanced the fact that even M. Périn had not demanded the immediate evacuation of Madagascar.

M. Périn—You are mistaken. I advocated the evacuation of the territory occupied by us, with the maintenance, however, of the fleet off Madagascar, in order to hasten the conclusion of a treaty. I have always been against your policy, and shall consequently vote against your credits.

M. Ferry—We shall count each other at the division.

M. Baudry D'Asson (Bonapartist)—You no longer count for anything.

The President—Do you think such an expression becoming?

M. Baudry D'Asson—I abide by it.

The President—I call you to order.

M. Ferry then complimented M. de Freycinet on having shown that France had rights and interests, that some distant expeditions were legitimate, and that the Madagascar one was the work of successive cabinets, not to be decried by hasty and thoughtless persons, or by ardent or blinded mobs.

Here there was such an amount of vociferation that M. Ferry threatened to descend from the tribune if it continued, for neither his own dignity nor that of the chamber would suffer him to go on under [illegible] conditions.

[illegible] centre, "Liberty of the [illegible]

The President—[illegible] be said. I am doing my own [illegible] that to interruptions."

M. Ferry maintained that the majority might go to the country with a bold front, for out of the three wars with which it was twitted, two had honorably and advantageously terminated, while the Madagascar one was the most national enterprise undertaken for many years. Colonial expansion did not mean a passion for territory without rhyme or reason, a thirst for battles and adventures which would be insane; but it meant a policy based on economic and political grounds, with lofty conceptions, which a country like France always respected. Colonial expansion had been limited to cases where French rights had been disregarded or formal engagements violated. So far from being chargeable with brutal conquest, France had perhaps been too patient, and had negotiated too long with Hovas.

SIR FRANCIS HINCKS.

The death of this remarkable man from the most loathsome of all diseases—small-pox—cannot be dismissed with a mere passing record of the event. Sir Francis has filled within the recollection of men still living so important a page in the moving political events of Canada that his name will ever be inseparably connected with the history of the young nation. Born in Cork in 1807, Sir Francis Hincks was in his 79th year when he died. Early in life he settled in Canada and at once took an active part in the bitter political contests which were then waged between Upper and Lower Canada. He soon came to the front as an ardent advocate of responsible government, and fought the battle of popular institutions with a steadfastness and force that won the admiration even of his opponents. After the lapse of many years the principle for which he contended was conceded by the home government, and Sir Francis, then plain Mr. Hincks, shortly became prime minister and held that important position for many years under Lord Elgin. In 1855, Sir Francis, whose ability had begun to attract attention in England, was appointed governor of Barbadoes and was afterwards governor of British Guiana from 1862 to 1869 when he retired with the honor of knighthood. In October, 1869, Sir John Rose, finance minister of the Dominion, resigned and Sir Francis Hincks was appointed in his stead. In 1872 at the general election, Sir Francis failed in re-election and British Columbia tendered him a seat which he accepted, representing the district of Vancouver, now represented by Mr. D. W. Gordon, until 1874, when he retired from political life. Sir Francis was a keen, aggressive and effective debater. His early training was in a bank and his knowledge of figures was phenomenal. As a public man he was one of the best abused in Canada, and his connection with the Consolidated Bank of Montreal, for which he was criminally prosecuted, but emerged triumphantly from the ordeal, has been often cited to his disadvantage. Taken all in all, Sir Francis Hincks was one of the few great men Canada has produced and as such his doings will fill several pages of her early history.

IMPERILED RIVERS.

The Californians for many years have been engaged in filling up the fine waterways which a bountiful nature bestowed on their state with the debris from hydraulic mining. As a consequence of this sinful course the two principal streams, the Sacramento and San Joaquin, have become unnavigable. It is the general impression that a crisis has been reached. The lightest draft boats cannot now ascend Sacramento river, which is filling up solidly, and it is the opinion of the oldest river men that nothing but the most vigorous legislation at once applied will prohibit further deposits and save this great river from destruction. On the San Joaquin the same difficulty is to be found, but with a marked difference in the character of the bottom. The accumulation has been the result of floods. A fine light earth has been deposited which makes a bottom soft and yielding. The boats actually travel over this mud, as though it were a semi-liquid, and the depth of the water for three miles, or the character of this mud bottom demonstrates thoroughly the wide difference between a natural deposit and one caused by the sands washed down the Sacramento from the mountains. The one, where there is a current, can be surely removed, while the other paves the river bottom with layer on layer of concrete. River men also declare that even if the whole flow of debris into the headwaters of these great arteries of the state should be so effectually put an end to that no more is deposited than was the case before the beginning of hydraulic mining, still the rivers would not in this day and generation become, by any natural process, as easily navigable as they were twenty years ago, the reason being obvious. The rivers finding it impossible to relieve themselves from these deposits, the hand of man must be applied. If these rivers are to be of any great value in the future as a means of transit for freight and passengers millions of dollars must be appropriated and years of work done before they can be restored to the condition that nature intended, and one that will make them of inestimable benefit to the country contiguous to them.

THE EUROPEAN OUTLOOK.

Consols are high, having touched 100⅞ on Thursday; but in spite of this recording of the financial barometer croakers are still to be found who predict an early clash of arms over the Afghanistan matter. Russia proceeds to extend her railways in Central Asia; England continues her efforts to form an alliance, offensive and defensive as against Russia, with Turkey; the Afghans continue to mobilize their armies and fortify Herat; Earl Dufferin announces another durbar to sound and buy the Indian potentates with rich presents; the British navy is being rapidly strengthened by the addition of new ironclads and torpedo-boats; and the German, Russian and Austrian emperors are about to meet, it is presumed, to discuss the grave points at issue between Great Britain and Russia. The feeling is one of unrest and uncertainty. Few believe that a permanent peace will come from the labors of the boundary commission now at work in Central Asia, and some writers stoutly maintain that the cession of the Zulfikar pass to Russia will seal the fate of Afghanistan. It is not believed, however, that Salisbury will cede that important line; if Russia wants it she will have to fight for it.

The Times in Trouble.

TO THE EDITOR:—John B. Gough, the great temperance orator, used to relate an incident showing the strange effect of an overdose of the "O be-joyful," as follows: "A certain individual was in the habit of imbibing too freely and returning to his home at a late hour. On such occasions his spouse would inform him that he was a most inhospitable creature, offering to himself and do when he should do, and would say to the treasury benches. I mean, when he reached home he gave utterance to something like the following: "Well (hic), I reckon I'll get there some time. If my wife has gone to bed he'll lick she (hic) if hers sitting up waiting for I he'll lick she. Her deserves to be licked anyhow, and he'll do it." Evidently the Times man is laboring under an overdose of the "O be-joyful," as his continual mutterings will show. The following from the Times of yesterday is a sample, and will convey an idea of the poor fellow's sad condition: "The government are spending too much money on the roads. They are neglecting the roads and are partial to their supporters (who are styled "political bummers.") The wrong season of the year is chosen for performing the work. (The government should consult the editor of the Times and have the work done within a month at most after the order has been given.) This pushing road work during the whole summer season will result in there being no roads fit to travel. Whenever a supporter is found his wants are disregarded. They favor their opponents to make them all right and solid. They boycott their opponents and deal only with such as are known to be friendly to the powers that be. A fair field and no favor should be the policy of our rulers. Comment is unnecessary. There is some sense in the last quoted sentence; but those which precede it are mere twaddle, and the only conclusion that can be drawn is that the government are conducting the business of the country in an open field and without favor. Evidently the Times man thinks the government should be "licked anyhow," and that he is the boy to do it. We shall see. AN OLD TIMER.

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The Point Ellice Bridge and its Detractors.

TO THE EDITOR:—For stating that I was a resident of the province *The Colonist* has been unjustly accused by a contemporary of wilful misrepresentation and deceit. For nearly three years I resided permanently in British Columbia, had large interests and paid taxes here. Have executed contracts on the railroad and for the provincial and Dominion governments to the extent of nearly half a million dollars; have patronized the merchants and the established manufacturing industries of the province to the extent of more than $150,000, and have disbursed among the laboring and mechanical classes here over $200,000; and in this brief period I think I have contributed more to the development and prosperity of the province than the moss-backed fossil who in a contemporary journal growls about foreign contractors would do in a thousand years. But for the sake of argument, assume that I am a foreigner from the antipodes, who is injured? Every dollar's worth of material in the Point Ellice bridge is purchased within the province; the iron and the timber are the product of local manufactories; the cement, paints and other materials are furnished by local merchants. The mechanics and laborers of this city, so far as they are available and competent, are employed in its construction. The only articles that are imported are the skill and intelligence that are brought into requisition, and for the benefit of these chronic growlers we suggest that these latter commodities be in future subjected to a high tariff. All this is equally true of the other public works in progress here. Your new theatre, your jail, your dry-dock. The arguments of these growlers are simply political clap trap, intellectual swill. Hereafter, that they may be properly protected when it becomes necessary for the government to build a bridge, we suggest that, in addition to the usual conditions and requirements, the advertisement inviting tenders shall state that "no tender will be received unless coming from parties wholly destitute of intelligence, ability and enterprise, nor from any party who has ever executed a similar work before," and such other requirements as will preclude the possibility of the government getting a good job for a fair price. We apprehend that an advertisement of this character will meet with the approval of these growlers who clamor against the government for throwing this work open to the widest competition and awarding the contract to the lowest bidder. As an example of scientific bridge-building and as a judicious expenditure of the public revenues, the Point Ellice bridge will speak for itself.

J. MCMULLEN.

KOOTENAY.

A Portlander's Opinion of It.

Mr. Frederick Logan informs the Oregonian that Kootenay is one of the finest cattle countries in the Northwest, but the Indians own most of the stock. One trouble is that criminals are not punished. Brown, the saloon-keeper who was convicted of murder a short time since and sentenced to death, is reported at liberty. Settlers are inclined to think that Sproule who murdered Thomas Hammil, superintendent for Ainsworth & Co., will get off with little or no punishment. The two Indians who murdered two white men at the lakes last summer, though their identity and habitation are known, have not been arrested, and no effort has been made to capture the Indian who murdered Baird and robbed him of $4000. Col. Baker, brother of Baker Pasha, has a fine ranch on Joseph prairie which he bought from John Galbraith. He regards the climate as the finest he has ever known, and will bring his family out from England next spring. Gold has been struck on Finley creek, and a great many Chinese are moving in from the Wild Horse country to work the placers.

CHINA.

Troops Refuse to Disarm.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Letters from Tonquin say that the treaty of Tien Tsin is a dead letter so far as the evacuation of the country by the Chinese is concerned. The troops have refused to return to China or to disarm, and are forming a strong army of irregulars and are preparing to attack the French. Phuoc, chief of the Black Flags, has offered his services to the French to suppress piracy and anarchy on the northern Tonquin, on condition that he be appointed governor of the district. His offer was declined by Gen. DeLisle, the French commander.

Action for libel has been begun against the leading foreign newspapers in China for alleging that the reported sale of the Chinese merchant fleet to an American firm at the outbreak of hostilities with France was a bogus transaction.

SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Last night [illegible] Marquis of Queensbury, accompanied by his son, A. K. Percy, [illegible] man on the occasion, Marsten midshipketh, ex Senator Sharon and [illegible] a number of their friends, visited [illegible] Maynard's Sporting Palace to witness an exhibition of the art of self defence, to which the ordinary spectator is admitted by paying the price of a drink at the counter. They remained to see the entire performance.

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Also, that His Honor has been pleased to direct that the boundaries of "Burgoyne Bay School District" be re-defined, as follows:—

Commencing at the north-west corner of "Beaver Point School District"; thence due west to the sea-shore; thence southerly and along the sea-shore to Fulford Harbor; thence north, along the western boundary line of "Beaver Point School District," to the point of commencement.

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SPECIAL GOODS FOR THIS DAY.

LADIES' AND GENTS' SILK UNDERWEAR, SOCKS & HOSE.

N. B.—No remains of Old Styles of Summer Goods or Remnants, but NEW GOODS from the Best Manufacturers. The rush yesterday is the best proof of the same. COMMERCE HOUSE
au21

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned up to noon of the 27th inst., for the erection of two Cottages and one Tenement House. Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. JNO. TEAGUE,
au21 Architect.

A. O. U. W.

RECEPTION TO

FATHER UPCHURCH.

MEMBERS OF NOS. 19 AND 77 LODGES AND Sojourning Brethren are requested to be present at a Special Meeting to be held in the lodgeroom of No. 19 Foresters' Hall, THURSDAY EVENING, 27th August, at 6 o'clock

A PUBLIC RECEPTION,

Free to all, will be held in Philharmonic Hall the same evening, when Father Upchurch and others will address the members of the order and their friends, after which a Soiree will be given. All are invited, and a special invitation is extended to the ladies to come and hear Father Upchurch, the founder of the Order and the friend of the Widows and Orphans. TICKETS to Soiree, 25, can be had on application to the Committee.

E. J. WALL, W. S. WRAIGHT,
C. NANGLE, DIXI H. ROSS,
J. COUGHLAN, H. SHORT,
O. WARNER, R BENNETT. au21

FOR SALE BY TENDER

For the purchase of the [illegible]

FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.

That Eligible Wooden Cottage at the corner of Blanchard and Farquhar streets, now tenanted by Mrs. Watkins, together with the Orchard and other improvements. Size of Lot, 60 feet by 80 feet.

On FARQUHAR STREET, adjoining the above:—Five-Roomed Dwelling House and Outbuildings, now occupied by Mrs. Bishop. Size of Lot, 40 feet by 60 feet.

On FARQUHAR STREET, sixty feet east of the last House:—Four-Roomed Cottage and Outhouses now occupied by Mr. Clarke. Size of Lot, 30 feet by 77½ feet.

ADJOINING THE ABOVE: — Superior One-Story Dwelling House on Farquhar street, now occupied by Mr. Coombe. Size of Lot, same as last.

On CORMORANT STREET: — Two-Story Wooden House now occupied by Mr. Grant. Size of Lot, 30 feet by 80 feet.

TENDERS will be received either for the whole or separately.

TIME for half of the purchase money will be given to suit buyers at 8 per cent. per annum.

The property may be viewed by application at the several dwellings.

Deeds at buyer's expense. For further particulars apply to

H. F. HEISTERMAN & CO.,
Land Agents, Government St.

LOST OR STOLEN.

STRAYED---TWO COWS.

ONE LARGE RED AND WHITE COW, ABOUT 9 years old, branded on left hip L. Q. One small Red Cow, about 5 years old, horns short and slightly turned in. Any person giving information that will lead to the recovery of the above will be suitably rewarded. W. L. COLLIER,
au15 3t Cor. Princess and Blanchard Avenues.

Ponies Strayed.

TWO PONIES—ONE A BAY COLOR, AND THE other bay and white—strayed from the Sherwood Farm, Metchosin, some two months ago. The last place they were seen was at Parson's Bridge.

Any person bringing them to the undersigned will receive Twenty Dollars reward.
W. R. CLARKE,
Auctioneer, Yates street.
August 17th, 1885. au18

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

H. B. CO.'S BK PRINCE RUPERT, FROM LONDON.

NEITHER CAPTAIN SHAW NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
For the Hudson Bay Co.
ALEX. MUNRO.
Victoria, B.C., 19th Aug., 1885. au20

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S BK "PRINCE RUPERT," Capt Shaw, will commence discharging freight at the Company's wharf, Victoria harbor, FRIDAY MORNING.

Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the company, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the company's wharf at Victoria after four o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.
For the Hudson Bay Co.
ALEX. MUNRO.
Victoria, B.C., Aug 19th, 1885. au20

STEAMER DAISY.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE STEAMER Daisy will call

On Tuesdays and Saturdays

AT OSWEGO BAY WHARF.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

CARRYING H. M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS AND NORTHERN PACIFIC EXPRESS.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Co.'s steamer

GEO. W. ELDER,
CAPTAIN HOLMES,

Will sail from the VICTORIA WHARF, outer harbor, for San Francisco, on

MONDAY NEXT, AUGUST 24TH, AT NOON.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Saturday, August 22nd.

For Freight and Passage apply to
au19 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

Valuable Patent Right for Sale.

I AM HERE TO OFFER A SPLENDID OPPORtunity to men of enterprise (for a few days only). I have for sale the patent right of a useful invention [illegible] demand—one which can be manufactured [illegible] sold at a [illegible]

RESERVE SEATS [illegible] be secured at the [illegible]

GLOVE FIGHT

To take place on the 22nd inst., at THEATRE COMIQUE, between

PROF. YOUNG DUTCHY,
and TOM PALMER.
au19 4t

DR. CHIPP,
(LICENTIATE OF MEDICINE)
M. R. C. S., L. S. A., LONDON, ENGLAND,
OPERATIVE SURGEON.

DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND NERVOUS system, and all Organic Affections, Specialtie
Office Hours—Morning, 9 till 1 o'clock; Evening, till 9 o'clock, and any hour during the night.
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MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, CORner Fort and Langley streets.
Office Hours—10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.; 5:30 to 6:30 p. m. au16 1m

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SATURDAY MORNING, AUG. 22ND, 1885.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

Aug. 15—Str Geo. E Starr, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Aug. 15—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—G H Adoms, J A Hughes, Morgan, C E Grable, T A Valois, Mrs Valois, Trevitt, Evie, McArthur, Carkeek, J Horan, F Good, R Hogan, McPhaden, McGee, Smart and wf, J Roan, 1 Indian, 2 Chinese.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—T Earle, W R Austin, McLachlan & Co, Brewster & Co, Neufelder & Ross.

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 20th inst., Edward R. Phelps, a native of New Bedford, Massachusetts, U. S. A., aged 64 years. [New Bedford and Philadelphia papers please copy.]

The funeral will take place on SUNDAY at 2:30 p. m., from the late residence, View street, and from St. John's Church at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, on Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf, 15,020 pounds Biscuit.

Also, at 11:15 o'clock, on the premises, Yates st., Oats, Bran, Middlings and Potatoes.

FAMILY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, Aug. 22.

BUTTER—Choice Island, 40c ℔ lb; Island Roll, 75c; New Grass Cal., 75c ℔ roll; White Clover, 55c.

CHEESE—Canadian, 25c. ℔lb.; Cala., 25c.; Eastern Cream, 30c; B.C., 25c.

EGGS—Fresh Island, 40c.℔doz.; Sound, 35c.

CORNMEAL—50c ℔sack of 10lbs.

OATMEAL—62½c ℔ sack of 10lbs.

FLOUR—Extra, $6 00 ℔ brl.; $1 62½ ℔sack; Super $5 ℔brl.

WHEAT—2c.℔lb.

BEANS—Lima, 8c.℔lb; Small White and Bayou, 6c

SPLIT PEAS—12½c.℔lb.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 1½c. ℔ lb; sweet 6c. ℔ lb; Onions, 4c℔lb; Celery, —c ℔ doz; Carrots, 2c℔lb; Rhubarb, 8℔lb; Lettuce, 12½c. ℔dz; Cauliflower, $1 50℔doz; Asparagus, —c℔lb; Radishes, 25c℔dz bunchs; Squash, —c. ℔lb; Turnips, 2c. ℔ lb.; Green Peas, 3c ℔ lb, String Beans, 5c; Cucumbers, 25c, ℔ doz; Cabbage, 3c℔lb; Tomatoes, 50℔lb; Green Ochra, —c℔lb; Chili Pepper, 20c℔lb; Green Corn, 25c℔dz; Vegetable Marrows, —c℔lb.

HAMS—Home Cured, 25c. ℔lb; Chicago, 25c.; Oregon, 25c; Shoulders, 18c.

BACON—Breakfast, 22c℔lb.

LARD—25c.℔lb.

FISH—Cod, 6c. ℔ lb; Salmon 6c ℔ lb; Boneless Cod, 10c; Soles, 6c; Halibut, 6c Yarmouth Bloaters, 25c. ℔ doz.; Sal. Bellies, 3 for 50c; Herring 3c.; Flounder, 6c.; Smoked Oolachans and Salmon, 15c. Smelt, 8c.; Sturgeon, 6c; Whiting, 7c. Shrimp, 50c; Salt Oolachans, 6c.; Crabs, 75 cts. ℔ dozen; Smoked Herring, 12½c.℔lb; Salmon Trout, 8c; Oolachans, 8℔lb; Spanish Mackerel, —

CANNED SALMON—1lb tins, per doz., $2.

FRUIT—Lemons, 75c. ℔ doz; Oranges, 75c. ℔ doz; Limes, —c. ℔ doz.; Apples, 5c℔lb; Cranberries, —c ℔ gal.; Quinces, —c. ℔ lb. Pears, —c; Grapes, 10c; Bananas, 50c℔doz; Cocoanuts, 12½c ea; Cherries, —c ℔ lb; Apricots, —c℔lb; Strawberries, —c; Gooseberries, 12½c℔lb; Raspberries, —c.℔lb; Plums, 5c℔lb; Peaches, 37½c; Pineapples, $1 ea; Watermelons, 50c. each; Muskmelons, 25c.

CANDIED FRUITS—Lemon, 50c.℔lb; Mixed, 50c

CURRANTS—Zante, 15@16c℔lb.

RAISINS—English Layers, 50c ℔ lb.; Cala., 25c Sultans, Valencia and Eleme 25c.

FIGS—[illegible]

MIXED SPICES—25c.℔ tin.

STARCH—$1 per 6lb box; 25c per lb.

COFFEE—Coffee, ground, 50c. ℔ lb; green, [illegible] 37½c. to $1 25 ℔ lb.

[illegible] manufactured for ea.

NUTS—Eng. Walnuts, 20c.℔lb; Cocoanuts—Paper Shell, 37½c.; Jordan almonds, 25c Brazil, 37½c. Chestnuts, 37½c.

ROLLED SPICED BEEF—12½c. ℔ lb.; Ox Tongues, [illegible] $1 ea.

BEEF—Choice Cuts, 12½c. ℔lb, corned beef, 10c; Soup meat, 8c.

MUTTON—Choice Joints, 12½c.℔lb; Stewing meat 8c.

PORK—12½c.℔lb.

VEAL—12½c.℔lb.

LAMB—$1.25 per quarter.

SAUSAGES—15@18c. ℔lb.

SUET—10c.℔lb.

SUCKING PIGS—$2.50@3.00 ea.

DUCKS—Tame, $1 25 ea.

CHICKENS—Spring Chickens, 75c ea.

TURKEYS—37½c. ℔lb

GEESE—Tame, $3 ea.

COAL OIL—$5 25 tin; ℔ case, $4.

OYSTERS—75c. ℔ quart, Canned, 37½c℔can.

HAY—$18 per ton.

OATS—1½c.℔lb.

MIDDLINGS—2½c.℔lb.

BRAN—1½c.℔lb.

GROUSE— —— ℔ pr.

VENISON—Hindqtrs, —c℔lb.

KIPPERED SALMON—5c℔lb.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

AUGUST 21, 1885.

Tai Song, Wellington, B.C.
Thos. M. Gray, New Westminster
John A. Thomas, Frostburg, Md., U.S.A.
Miss A. V. Keller, " "
C. Roberts, Miller Mine, Mp.
R. H. Crowgey, Wytheville, V. A.
J. McDonald, Chemainus
Mrs. Sinclair, Port Hammond
Mrs. Innes, Esquimalt
Wo Yuen, Kamloops, B C.
V. Graft, Cowichan
H. Fry, Maple Bay
Jno. McLennan, Yale, B C.
Mrs. Dolly Faber, Fergus Falls, Minn.
G C. Phinney, Seattle
Mrs. Nellie Uren, New Tacoma, W.T.
W. S. Garman, Urbana, Ill.
J. W. Evans, San Francisco
Jno. W. Merton, Hamilton, Ont.
Mrs. E. Albertson, Catskill, New York
North West News Pub. Co., Portland, Ogn.
P. Billandeaux, Emory
Mrs. W. E. Stanford, Seattle
Geo. Dutnall, Albert Head, Met.
Foo Yern & Co, Yale, B.C.
Angus McKenzie, Nanaimo

Personal.

Mr. Thomas Moody is still confined to his bed by illness.

Rev. Mr. Barss is rapidly recovering from his late severe attack by illness.

Mr. Alex. Phillips and daughters have joined the excursion party and gone to Portland.

Messrs. W. Berry, E. W. Talcott, Portland; J. B. Colton, H. Wallan, San Francisco; T. O'Neil, Goldstream, and L Griffiths, Yale, are staying at the Oriental

Messrs. A. L Rockwell, J. Kenny, F. Klotz, G. Certh, T. Kohn, R. Sumner, O. Schultz, San Francisco; R. Ferran, R. Raymond, Q. P. Morgan, jr., S. L Taber, New York; J. E. Stuart, Portland; B. K. Cowles, Alaska; W. O. Cary, U. S. Army, and Miss Flora D. Brown, Port Townsend are registered at the Driard.

The Weekly Colonist.

Copies of the weekly edition of *The Colonist* are now ready and may be had at the bookstores and the office. In addition to being the largest newspaper published in British Columbia it contains from one to three days' later news than any other Victoria publication.

The Oddfellows' corner, on Yates and Douglas streets, to lease for a term of years. For particulars apply to R. Lipsett, real estate broker. *

BRICK STORE on Yates street for sale by R. Lipsett, Real Estate Broker. *

RAMBLING NOTES.

Steamboat, Rail, Cayuse and Stage.

A Trip Through Cache Creek and Bonaparte Valleys.

VAN HORNE,

during the progress of construction work the past season has been the supply and forwarding depot for the railway to the front. The contractors have large warehouses along the water front, from which freight is readily transferred to the flat-bottomed stern-wheelers owned by Mara & Co., who have the contract for freighting all supplies for Onderdonk & Co. to the various construction points. Shortly after our arrival the little steamer Lady Dufferin came down the lake, landed some freight and steamed to the Savona shore. Later on the Peerless arrived with through passengers and freight from

EAGLE PASS AND FARWELL.

The steamers of this line are well fitted up for the lake and river traffic. The steamer Skuzzy, built for A. Onderdonk in the spring, is being utilized as a boarding house along the line of construction. Although the rails are through to Kamloops and beyond, all passengers are transferred for the present at Van Horne, which is the end of the government contract. The station grounds are provided with extensive sidings and a track runs down to the storehouses at the water front so that freight may be shipped direct from the car to the steamer.

From M. J. Haney, general superintendent, who has just arrived on the Peerless, we learn that work is rapidly progressing at the end of the track, about four miles per day being laid. There will not be enough rails on this end to complete the Onderdonk syndicate work, so it has been arranged that they will be laid from the eastern end. It was expected (now nearly three weeks ago) that all Onderdonk's work would be completed in six or seven weeks, and western railway construction ended. It has probably been the greatest feat in railway building successfully completed on this continent.

Van Horne is a

TYPICAL RAILWAY TOWN,

hot, dusty and new in every way. The extensive level plain has been laid out into town lots and the houses built accordingly, though there is no attempt as yet to grade streets or build sidewalks. The land slopes gradually from the hill to the lake, which furnishes an unlimited supply of pure water. The view up and down the lake is charming, while the opposite shore is green with foliage and picturesque. The waters of the lake are teeming with fish, while water-fowl are in abundance, the hills on both sides furnishing good shooting. The houses are nearly all rough board, unpainted and unattractive, though some slight attempt at adornment has been made in a few instances. The only licensed hotel of the place is

"THE VAN HORNE,"

kept by Mr. F. Crotty. This was scarcely ready for occupation, but the proprietor was busy papering and furnishing, and no doubt by this time has a very good house. Furniture is rather expensive at Van Horne, and the proprietor being a first class carpenter has manufactured the major portion of the furniture. [illegible] is the starting place of the stages, [illegible] being a few yards off. Several others [illegible] engaged in business.

It was [illegible] pretentious stores. at Van Horne [illegible] we arrived weather was excessively [illegible] the evening came on and with it [illegible] delightfully cool atmosphere. One would hardly realize that it was Sunday evening—the ballast train was busy running up and down and business generally seemed the same. In the [illegible] several of the boys had congregated [illegible] one of whom was the possessor of a banjo (and a good player), while the others had fair voices. "Kathleen Mavourneen," "Come Back to Erin" and other old favorites were done justice to by the chorus, and sounded sweet and mellow on the still evening air.

Though it is not probable that Van Horne will be the division station yet it will be a place of transhipment for

EASTERN AND WESTERN TRAVEL.

Tourists who wish to make the delightful lake and river trip will stop here, while those bound for the interior and Cariboo country from the east will be glad to leave the dusty travel by rail and take the old-time stage, a most pleasurable change. It is also nearer the Nicola country than by Spence's bridge, and may in the future prove the entrepot for goods for that district. All these things considered, Van Horne will always remain a town, and not like many other railway stopping points disappear forever after the completion of the line.

The train for the west leaves at four in the morning, so we retired early, but not to sleep we found. There are too many causes operating against that privilege to allow of it being successfully indulged in. Though

DRINKS ARE TWENTY-FIVE CENTS APIECE

at this point, a number had evidently imbibed sufficient to make them noisy, and finally got into a hot dispute, in which language was used that would put a Mississippi steamboat captain in the shade. At 2 a.m. a general fight was indulged in outside the hotel, and shortly after silence reigned supreme in this cosmopolitan town, so we got an hour's sleep before being rapped up for the train.

Shortly after four the passenger train moved out of Van Horne, around the curve, and then along the banks of the Thompson. At Spence's bridge there was a general rush for breakfast, with twenty-five minutes to procure it. Every man for himself seems to be the motto this morning, and in a short time the eatables had given out. However, the proprietor is not particular in looking after payment, a fact which, no doubt, is fully appreciated by tramps. On our way down we have passed through the Black cañon tunnel, at last thoroughly timbered and safe for travel.

Through the whole length of the Thompson and Fraser to Yale the Indians were busy securing and drying their

WINTER SUPPLY OF SALMON,

which are hung up in thousands on the poles and send up an unpleasant odor to the cars. We watch with interest the ever-interesting scenery of the Fraser, until we reach Yale shortly before one o'clock when we have an hour and a half for dinner. Business in Yale is pretty much the same as ever, though the day we arrived a number of railway shop men were discharged, with more to follow on the coming week, railway construction nearing completion rendering their discharge necessary. When the Onderdonk work is fully complete Yale will be rather a dull place, unless mining in the neighborhood branches into large proportions.

It is hot and dusty on the train after leaving Yale, and at Hope we have permission to ride in the locomotive, an old acquaintance having charge of the throttle. To a novice

A LOCOMOTIVE RIDE

is a most exciting and pleasurable one, though he scarcely appreciates the danger that is incurred every day by the engineer and fireman who have charge of the leviathan. Pretty quick time is made over the line from Yale west, and the running varies from 15 to 50 miles an hour. The latter speed is only attained when a long stretch of straight track is met with, the train slowing up as we near tunnels or round curves with overhanging rock above. When high speed is attained, the rush of the wind, roar and sway of the engine, and generally hazardous appearance of everything as the wheels grip the track and we seem to fly through the air, makes us quiet, with a steady gaze ahead, while the engineer winks at his mate at our apparent nervousness. A new truck has been put on the tender and about forty miles down the boxes become fiercely hot. Every appliance for an emergency is carried and our engineer at the next station gets out soon with his mate and the assistance of a jack raise the heavy tender, take out the boxes and replace them with a fresh set, repack and oil them and in a short space of time we are again bowling along. While the engine is in motion the stiff breeze that comes through the cab window makes it pleasantly cool; but while at stations or wooding up the outside is more agreeable. There is no dust to fill our eyes and soil our clothes, while those in the car are covered with it. An enterprising salesman with a stock of linen dusters and whisk brooms attached would meet with a successful sale on the C. P. R railway train. Supper is partaken of at Nicomin, and we reach Hammond

ON TIME TO THE MINUTE,

where we change from our locomotive seat and go on board the Yosemite. There are a large number of travelers, but room for all, and the steamer hour after starting is tied up at New Westminster.

On the down trip next day we met Mr. Madigan, a former partner of Mr. Bell, of Bell, Patterson & Co., who has a contract on the mountain section. Mr. M. didn't enjoy his railway ride, the time made was too quick. However he voluntarily acknowledged that the track built by Onderdonk is

IMMENSELY SUPERIOR

to that built by Ross in the Rockies and Selkirks, and is charmed with lovely scenery.

In the early afternoon we arrived at Victoria, and our holiday is ended. Victoria presents a very busy appearance to the stranger on landing. There are more hacks and express wagons than will carry off the boat entire, and after the quietness of the interior the lively aspect of is refreshing. To one who has not made the interior trip we recommend it as a very interesting and most pleasurable one, and there is little doubt that when the enjoyment of a tour through the upper country becomes better known it will be more frequently indulged in.

(Concluded.)

What Some People Say.

That Robinson's circus is delighting the Oregonians. It will be here in a few days when it will astonish the natives.

That "Pickpocket" is the only English word adopted into the French language which the French write and pronounce correctly.

That the members of the Band of Hope and any wishing to join, are invited to meet at the Temperance hall, on Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

That there are now 225 miles of rail steady [illegible], and the system is being [illegible] by the government.

That the [illegible] hotel [illegible] pool table in the city.

That there is a great rush for all lines of goods at C. Morton's great clearance sale. Great bargains are being had, as everything is being sold at cost. *

That the widespread belief that ivy trained against the walls of a dwelling house is productive of dampness is a fallacy.

That since the first election of Lincoln to the presidency nine of the presidents of the United States have died.

That HIBBEN & Co.'s souvenir of B. C. views is just the thing to send abroad. *

That large stock of 6d. novels at HIBBEN & Co.'s. *

That you should have the children's photos taken before the holidays are past. Go to Hall & Lowe's and get the very best. *

That the total number of inhabitants o Egypt proper amounts to 6,300,000.

That it is said, on the authority of a druggist, that a half cent's worth of aloes makes 25 cents' worth of pills.

That the population of the United States is divided into 25,518,820 males and 24,636,963 females.

That HIBBEN & Co. have just received the long-delayed shipments of English goods. *

New goods at HIBBEN & Co.'s. *

That Views of Victoria can be had for 25 cents at HIBBEN & Co's. *

That the first Napoleon slept in hollands for sheets, the Bourbons in cambric, and Napoleon III in ordinary linen.

That fares and freights on the C. P. N. Co.'s steamers will be reduced one-half to and from the New Westminster Provincial exhibition.

That Mr. and Mrs. H. Croft, of Chemainus, entertained the employés of Croft & Angus' mill at dinner on Sunday last.

That Chief Engineer Phillips will be a candidate for re-election by the fire department at the next election of officers.*

That the "Seaside," the latest and most beautiful style, is just the thing for children, made only by Hall & Lowe, photographers, over Victoria House, Government street. *

That book and job printing and lithographic work of all kinds are executed at *The Colonist* office. *

That you can get a fine lithograph view of the Battle of Batoche for 35 cents, at J. B. FERGUSON & Co.'s. *

SCHOOL BOOKS

AND OTHER SCHOOL REQUISITES AT

J. B. FERGUSON & CO.'S.

BUY YOUR REAL ESTATE from Rand Bros., Yates street, between Government and Broad, Victoria, and Columbia street, New Westminster, B. C.

Strangers! Call on Rand Bros. *

NEW supply of Smith's Grammar, just received by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.*

FAT CHICKENS and broilers at Beauchamp's. *

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

Commencing This Day.

WE SHALL HOLD A

CLEARANCE SALE

Of Goods left over from the Summer Season, including a large quantity of Remnants.

SHEARS & PAGE,

LONDON HOUSE.

N. B.—Without enumerating the various goods to be offered, Shears & Page beg to intimate that this Sale is, as the above implies, a GENUINE CLEARANCE SALE OF GOODS left over from the Summer Season, and not an inferior class of goods imported specially for the occasion.

au20 SHEARS & PAGE.

The Graving Dock.

Messrs. Larkin, Connolly & Co. are making very satisfactory progress with the construction of the dry dock at Esquimalt. Brick and stone in large quantities are constantly being transferred from the barges to the wharf, and from thence by push car and steam derrick to the bricklayers and masons below. A good portion of the walls of the dock has been completed, rising up in tiers from the floor. The entrance to the dock where the caisson will be built is being first attended to. This part of the masonry is most cleverly put together, the stone being dressed to the required sizes, angles and concaves at the quarries at Salt Spring island. Brick is now being turned out at the contractors' yard on the Gorge road at the rate of 40,000 or more per day, and then towed around to Esquimalt by their tug.

Seven large derricks are employed in the handling of material and in excavating the lengthened portion of the dock These are all furnished power by steam, the water for the engines being pumped from the entrance by a large force pump. The derricks are single- and double, and handle the great pieces of stone with ease, raising them from the cars and swinging and lowering them to the exact place they are to occupy in the dock.

The caisson is at present being built in Montreal by the Montreal Bridge Co. This is so constructed that it can be raised or lowered, floated and made fast, to keep the water in the dock or prevent its coming in. Should a vessel be too long for the dock proper the caisson can be floated back to the entrance, and furnish an extra 31 feet. Drillers were at work drilling out the berth where the caisson will rest when a ship is being placed in the dock from which it can be easily floated to its chamber where it will prevent a further flow of water, and thus enable the dock to be pumped free of water.

About 125 men are engaged in the work of laying brick and stone, unloading material, mixing concrete and excavating. At the quarries on Salt Spring Island about 175 more are engaged in quarrying and dressing the stone, while a good number are busy at the brick yards.

The work is under the general superintendence of Mr. M. Connolly, who is always hard at work looking after the firm's interest. The weather during the summer has been most favorable to the progress of the work, and it is hoped that it will be such during the winter that the present large staff can be steadily employed. The dock is being completed in a most substantial manner, the stone walls being thicker and stronger than those constructed by McNamee, though the latter [illegible] in accordance with specifications.

Capt. Larkin, the genial [illegible] member of the firm, also takes a most lively interest in the advancement of the contract [illegible] doubt turn out in as [illegible] and Lachine canals [illegible] and harbor.

Overshadowed Railroad Properties.

The Tacoma Ledger is opposed to the lease of the O. R. & N. Co. It estimates the value of the steamers, railroads, lands, etc., belonging to the company at $3,945,000, and declares that their property is represented by $23,000,000 of stock, upon which the company demands 5 and 6 per cent interest per annum, and which in the lease it is proposed to give. To get the property down to figures to suit it the Ledger estimates the value of the railroads and rolling stock at about $5,000 per mile. The property is worth about as much as the Northern Pacific's, and judged by its present and past earnings is worth a good deal more. A similar estimate placed upon the 2,500 miles of Northern Pacific road will make that company's property worth $12,500,000, and yet it is stocked and bonded to the amount of $170,000,000! The Ledger, which is so horrified at the O. R. & N. overrating, can see nothing wrong in the Northern Pacific's, nor in the intent and attempt of the latter company to make its road pay interest and dividends on the whole amount. Any wrongs in this direction perpetrated by the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company are certainly overshadowed by those perpetrated by the Northern Pacific.—*Seattle Post-Intelligencer.*

Marine.

The bark Cassandra Adams, Captain Imrie, 15 days from San Francisco, arrived in the roads last night, and will be towed to Nanaimo by the Pilot to-day.

The Cassandra Adams yesterday spoke the Gerrard C. Toby, 196 days from Liverpool with railroad iron for Port Moody off Cape Flattery, beating around on account of the presence of thick fog and smoke in the straits. The ship John A. Briggs was also spoken outside.

A PAID FIRE DEPARTMENT.—A conference by the mayor and council with the board of delegates was had last evening, and after a lengthy discussion a committee of three from each body was appointed to prepare a scheme for the organization of a paid fire department.

DRILL.—Chief Engineer Phillips and a corps of firemen had the old Deluge hand-engine, which is now located on the James Bay side. All things worked satisfactorily.

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ESTIMATES given for thorough repairs to PIANOS and ORGANS by O. H. GOODWIN, maker and tuner at M. W. WAITT & Co.'s music store, Government street. *

Supreme Court.

(Before Hon. Mr. Justice Gray.)

FRIDAY, Aug. 21.

In chambers the application for an injunction to restrain the corporation from supplying suburban residents with water, was continued.

Mr. Russel, water commissioner, was examined and said there were fifteen householders and four brickyards outside the city limits supplied with water, the consumption of the former being 1,500 gallons per day. The revenue derived from these houses was $33 75 per month, and from the brickyards $81.90 per month. The estimated revenue within the city limits it $30,000 per annum. The unredeemed debentures for which the property within the city is mortgaged, amount to $162,500. The average quantity of water consumed for street sprinkling was estimated at 25,000 gallons per day, and the area of the city served in this way was defined to be from Store along Cormorant to Douglas, thence along Douglas to Fort, up Fort to Blanchard, down Fort to Government, along Government to Courtney, and all the streets westwardly to the harbor, amounting to about one-twentieth of the total area of the city. For this service no revenue was derived, and it was consequently more particularly for the benefit of those within the area defined. As a water commissioner, Mr. Russell had always contended that the waterworks department was entitled to credit, or compensation, for the consumption for that purpose. The 25,000 gallons used for sprinkling might be used from other sources, such as by pumping from the harbor, and the amount be saved to those on the higher levels of the city. The value of the water used in this way, reckoned at 60 cents per thousand gallons, was $15 per day. The city pays for sprinkling $150 per month, or about $5 per day. This would leave a margin of $10 per day to pay for pumping from the harbor. The effect of drawing off the water for sprinkling purposes was to reduce the pressure so that the rise was lowered 11½ feet for a period of at least three and one-half hours per day, and for this reason the water could not get over the hill during that time. It was Mr. Russell's opinion that sprinkling the streets had a greater effect on reducing supply than the amount drawn by outside parties. The 25,000 gallons used for this purpose would be sufficient to supply James Bay and the higher levels with all the water they want. He believed that if the present rules in regard to the use of water for irrigating purposes were strictly observed, there would be no waste to an extent to affect the higher levels. If the brickyards drew during the prescribed hours, between 9 p. m. and 5 a. m., the effect on the higher levels would not be injurious. But James Bay was at present supplied with a 2½-inch pipe, which was much too small to give that section its proper proportion of water. But steps are now being taken to rectify that grievance. To give a continuous supply to residents on Fort st., the gauge at the city hall should indicate a pressure of 50 pounds whereas the average pressure was 40 pounds. A high service reservoir, was, in his opinion, the only way by which a continuous and full supply could be given to the people in that quarter of the city.

Mr. Russell was asked by his lordship for some further statistical information, and to give him time to prepare it, the case was adjourned until to-morrow, when argument will also be heard.

Point Ellice Bridge.

The elegant and substantial new bridge spanning the arm of the harbor at Point Ellice was completed yesterday and will be thrown open to the public to-day. Its broad and spacious driveway carries the Esquimalt road over this arm of the bay at an elevation of about twenty-five feet above high water. The structure consists [illegible] through spans in the [illegible] of approach [illegible] length of 640 feet. The driveway in the centre is 20 feet wide and on either side is an ample sidewalk seven feet broad protected on both sides by a neat substantial railing.

The superstructure is what is known as "Pratt Truss" iron construction bridge, and the foundation is the "Cushing patent" iron cylinder pier. This type of bridge is used very generally both for railway and highway bridges throughout the eastern provinces and in the United States. The iron cylinder pier is considered by engineers to be as indistructible and permanent as masonry and is much more economical. In the trusses all the principal tensile members and all the connections are made of wrought iron, and where timber is used the truss is constructed in such a manner that any piece can be readily taken out and replaced by a new one in case the original has become decayed or defective. It is by far the most permanent and substantial highway bridge in the province and is in accord with the other permanent and substantial improvements going on in our city.

GLOVE FIGHT.—Prof. Young Dutchey and Tom Palmer, noted knights of the fistic arena, will fight to-night with gloves "to a finish" for $250 a side, at Theatre Comiquer. This match has been pending for many months, having been first arranged at San Francisco. The contest is expected to be very interesting and exciting, and many heavy wagers have been made on the result.

POLICE COURT.—John Bell, for begging on the street, was dismissed with a caution. A white man and a Celestial, separately charged with theft, were remanded, as was also the Chinese theatre case.

THE FRANCHISE BILL.—We are indebted to Messrs. Baker and Shakespeare, M. Ps., for copies of the Dominion franchise bill.

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CABLE NEWS.

The March of King Cholera.

The Alliance of Turkey with England Hangs Fire.

The Austrian and Russian Premiers Meet.

The Queen and Prince of Wales go to Norway.

The Mysterious Priest in India.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, 2:30 p.m., Aug. 20.—Consols 100 1-16.

Majority of reports received here give the number of deaths from cholera at Marseilles at almost double that already announced. A dispatch says the sanitary condition of the city is alarming and that the epidemic is coming northward.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily News says Count Kalnoky and Prince Bismarck have agreed upon a basis of future negotiations for the admission of Austro-Hungary to the customs union. Bismarck has renounced the duty of three marks per 100 kilogrammes on cereals. The Prussian minister of commerce, who is visiting the Pesth exhibition, has received ovations everywhere. Agreement between Germany and Austro-Hungary is mainly the result of Ferry's protection policy. Austria would never have entered the customs union as long as France admitted cereals free.

Queen Victoria and the Prince of Wales will start for Norway on one of the royal yachts to-morrow. The Princess of Wales and her daughters have gone to Ymuiden to visit the Duke of Cumberland.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—Phelps, American minister, is suffering from cold and a slight attack of lumbago. He is better this morning.

The Standard urges the great importance of securing the alliance between England and Turkey. It expresses the hope that Sir Henry Drummond Wolff will be successful in securing the desired alliance.

Weather in England rainy; wheat steady and quiet. Holders offer moderately. Corn firm and in fair demand.

SPAIN.

MADRID, Aug. 20.—The only cleanly persons who have been attacked by the cholera scourge are public officials who are compelled to visit the hotbeds of infection. Many people are returning to the city which they consider safer than the provinces. Tuesday's report shows there were 322 new cases and 155 deaths in the city of Granada and 348 new cases and 125 deaths in the province. The doctor who saved 14 out of 15 patients in the second stage of the infection by administering an enema of ether has been authorized to apply the remedy in the hospitals.

The Standard's Berlin correspondent says an eminent Turkish diplomatist declares that the Sultan and grand vizier oppose the alliance of Turkey with England against Russia.

MADRID, Aug. 20.—There were 4109 new cases of cholera and 1541 deaths in Spain yesterday.

AUSTRIA.

TURIN, Aug. 20.—A valuable collection has been stolen from Royal Armory here including four collars of order of annunziatta which were studded with diamonds.

VIENNA, Aug. 20.—It is reported that Count Kalnoky and M. Bedeaux have met at Dresden. Herr Tisza, Hungarian prime minister, previous to his departure for Ostend was informed by Count Kalnoky that no important political questions [illegible]

PARIS, Aug. 20.—The government has ordered Admiral Courbet's remains to be landed at Brest instead of at Toulon owing to the prevalence of cholera at the latter place. Extensive preparations have been made at Toulon for the reception of the body.

PARIS, Aug. 20.—Figaro states that the king of Spain has, in order to show his displeasure at the assumption of Germany of the Caroline Islands, resigned the honorary colonelcy of the regiment of German Uhlans which was some time ago bestowed upon him.

INDIA.

BOMBAY, Aug. 20.—The supposed priest, Father Kanoviers by name, who was arrested at Cochin on the Malabar coast on suspicion of being a spy has been sentenced to six months' imprisonment. During his examination he admitted he had been to Egypt and was acquainted with Oliver Paine; but he refused to answer further questions. Several witnesses have left here for Cochin to try and identify him. His appearance tallies with Sir Evelyn Baring's description of Paine.

ITALY.

ROME, Aug. 20.—The Tribune says the Italian expedition for the relief of Kassala will mass at Karn in September and march early in October.

IRELAND.

DUBLIN, Aug. 20.—Parnell has summoned the members of the Irish parliamentary party to meet in this city on the 25th inst. The object of the meeting is to consider what plans are best to advance the cause of the party in the approaching campaign.

AMERICAN NEWS.

EASTERN STATES.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Aug. 20.—The miners and laborers employed at Lent, Lilly & Co.'s colliery here were recently notified that a five per cent. reduction in all wages would go into effect at once. Then the men held a meeting and resolved not to accept the reduction. On Tuesday Hungarians and Polanders were put to work about the mine and no disturbance occurred until late in the evening when the foreigners were attacked. The excitement brought to the scene crowds of persons, and in less than ten minutes the fight became general and was participated in by 100 men and boys. All sorts of missiles were used. From 15 to 25 persons were seriously and several Hungarians fatally injured. The Hungarians fought desperately and showed a determination not to leave the place. Yesterday morning they returned to the colliery and went to work, and have not been since interfered with.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 20.—The democratic convention has just nominated Hoadley for governor and Warwick for lieut.-governor.

IRELAND.

More Rent Troubles.

LIMERICK, Aug. 19.—Earl Devon has finally made an offer to ten of his tenants to grant their demand for a reduction of 30 per cent in rents. The tenants will decide to-morrow whether to pay or refuse. Defense funds are being raised and much excitement prevails.

A NICE dwelling house on Pandora street, for sale by R. Lipsett, Real Estate Broker, Government street. *

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On FRIDAY, 28th August,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

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WE HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED BY [illegible] to sell at his residence

Thursday, August 26th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE PIANO, ETC.

Particulars in Sunday's *Colonist*.

JOSHUA DAVIES, Auctioneer.

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Auction Sale.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

On Tuesday, the 25th Aug.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

I HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED BY MR. JOHN J. Russell to sell by Auction at his Residence, Douglas street, opposite the Union Club House,

The whole of his Household Furniture and Effects, consisting of:

Brussels Carpets, Rugs, Splendid Plate Glass Mirror, 3ft. 6in. x 4ft. 6in, Engravings,

Fine Toned Upright PIANO.

Parlor Suite, 9 Volumes Bound Music, Ornaments, Vases, Whatnots, 4 light Chandelier, Centre and Marble top Tables, Arm Chairs, Cornices and Blinds, &c.

A Handsome Marine Model of Sailing Ships in Glass Case,

10 Fine Bred Canary Birds and Cages,

Walnut Bedroom Suite with Marble Tops, Spring and Horsehair Mattresses, Pillows and Bedding, Bedroom Mirror, Brussels Carpets, Chamber Sets, Pictures.

SILVER PLATEDWARE—A fine Tea Service Set, Pickle Stand, Cruet Stand, Handsome Candlesticks, Cake Basket and Card Stand, Glass and Majolica Ware, Cutlery, etc.

Eureka Range, with Plate Warmer, Tables, Chairs, Linoleum 11x18, White and Gold China Tea Set, Dinner Set, Crockery, Glassware, Enamel Stewpans and Pots, Tinware, Bathtubs, Washtubs, etc., etc.

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A pair of fine Bay Work Horses, six years old, a nearly new Chatham Wagon and Double Set Harness, will be offered at 11 a. m., sharp.

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TECHNICAL SCHOOLS.

THE KNOWLEDGE WHICH ENABLES ONE TO EARN BREAD.

An Investigating Committee Looking After the Theory and Practice of Industrial Schools on the Continent—Examples of Ne s.

[Sarah K. Bolton in The Congregationalist.]

No person visits England without being deeply interested in her schools for technical or industrial education. This is comparatively a new matter with her. At her great exposition in London, in 1851, largely the result of Prince Albert's foresight and energy, England led the world in textile fabrics, and doubtless in machinery. Eleven years later, at a second world's fair in London, she discovered that the outside world was making great progress, and at the exposition in Paris in 1867 she found herself outdone by French and German looms and by the iron and steel industries of Belgium and Berlin.

At once she sent an investigating committee to the continent, who found technical schools at every large industrial center, supported by state or city. There every boy or girl could learn the theory, or the practice, or both, of the trade or profession to be followed for a livelihood. Paris had nearly 100 free art schools for adults, most of the pupils being workingmen. The College de France and the Conservatoire des Arts et Metiers were thronged by workingmen and women, eager to hear the free lectures in social and physical science, biology, mathematics and languages. A large amount of money was given for workshops in connection with primary schools. The committee found another admirable thing, viz.: That in French schools of every grade corporal punishment is absolutely unknown.

Since 1867 Paris herself has made great studies in industrial education. In the primary school of the Rue Tournefort, the children begin to learn drawing, carving, joiner's or smith's work, from their 6th year. The school hours are from 8 to 6; in the higher classes the work in the shops consume eighteen hours per week. On leaving school the pupils can earn $1 a week. Twenty-three primary schools have workshops attached, and twenty-two others are in preparation for combining mental and manual instruction. The latter is usually optional, given before and after school hours.

Several of the municipalities of France have established free public apprenticeship schools, where children, after leaving the primaries, can receive practical instruction in the trades for three years, besides advancement in other branches. In the summer they visit industrial establishments and give descriptions of them in writing. At the beginning of the second year of the course they select their trade. They enter school at 7 a. m. and leave at 7 p. m., six hours in workshop and four in school, with two for dinner and recreation, usually in gymnasium. On leaving, the pupils can earn from $1 to $1.50 per day. Paris has found that money spent to make men and women self-supporting is a safeguard against crime. As the trades will not usually receive young learners, Paris has solved the matter by her excellent apprenticeship schools.

The trouble in our own country has been that our technical schools, provided through private gifts generally, are not free, and, therefore, cannot reach those most needing assistance. The state must eventually take the matter in hand, giving us not only free schools, but free books, and free opportunities to learn how to earn a living. England ascertained all these facts and more in Germany and Switzerland, and profited by them. In 1874 she established Yorkshire college at Leeds, with classes in mathematics, languages, chemistry, geology, engineering, coal mining, weaving, dyeing, etc., with evening schools and popular lectures for the people, at the low price of 4 cents each. Weaving schools were begun at Huddersfield and Glasgow, and mechanics' institutes were opened in various parts of the country.

I was fortunate in being present at the grand opening of Bradford technical school, June 23, 1882. Bradford is the center of the woolen trade, and, with a population of a little over 200,000, pays an income tax on $45,000,000. The prince and princess of Wales had come from London by special Pullman train. Houses were decorated with banners, and triumphal arches spanned the roadway. At the station the platform was draped with crimson cloth, surmounted by a beautiful canopy of flowers. The procession of lord mayors, members of parliament, trade societies, cavalry, artillery, and infantry made an imposing pageant. The prince opened the door of the elegant school building, Italian in style, with great central tower, with a key of gold and silver nearly a foot long, bearing his arms and the words, "Labor omnia vincit."

Various guilds contributed largely to the building fund, while wealthy manufacturers gave plants of machinery and scholarships. Besides a public hall the building contains an industrial museum where the products of the arts and trades are shown, chemical laboratory, library, art department and model manufactory, exhibiting all the processes of combing, spinning, weaving and dyeing.

Work for "Prison-Birds."

[Youth's Companion.]

"I have never had to complain of my work people," wrote De Lesseps, while the Suez canal was building, and yet I have employed pirates and prison birds. Work made them all honest, and none of them has ever taken anything from me, not so much as a handkerchief."

A gang of these "prison-birds"—galley-slaves escaped from the Adriatic—landed on the isthmus, and De Lesseps set them to work. The Austrian consul claimed them as convicts who had broken out of their prison ship. In the Orient, they take no note of time and De Lesseps delayed answering the consul's letter for weeks. He kept his "prison-birds" at work, gave them enough to live on, and paid them liberal wages. At last, the consul was willing not only to let the escaped convicts continue at work, but to send their wages home to their relations.

"The had nothing to fear," said De Lesseps, in explanation of his influence over these galley-slaves; "they never went to bed hungry, they knew that I trusted them, and that they were working for a cause of universal interest."

Gen. Longstreet's Opinion of Gen. Lee.

[Gen. Longstreet in The Century.]

I can not close this sketch without referring to the Confederate commander when he came upon the scene for the first time. Gen. Lee was an unusually handsome man even in his advanced life. He seemed fresh from West Point, so trim was the figure and so elastic his step. Out of battle he was as gentle as a woman, but when the clash of arms came he could fight and urged his battle with wonderful determination. As a usual thing he was remarkably well balanced—always so except on one or two occasions of severe trial, when he failed to maintain his exact equipoise. His orders were always well considered and well chosen. He depended almost too much on his officers for their execution. Jackson was a very skillful man against such men as Shields, Banks, and Fremont, but when pitted against the best of the Federal commanders he did not appear so well. Without doubt the greatest man of the rebellion times, the one matchless among 40,000,000 for the peculiar difficulties of the period, was Abraham Lincoln.

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A CARD.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND CITIZENS OF VICTORIA:

I BEG TO SUBMIT MYSELF AS A CANDIDATE for the position of Chief Engineer of the Fire Department at the coming election in October. My long connection with the Department as a member and as Assistant-Chief, and in the other offices of the Department, is the only recommendation that I need submit to your attention, having been honest and faithful in the discharge of all the duties that have fallen to me.

JOHN MORLEY.

August 11th, 1885. au12tf

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THEATRE COMIQUE.

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T. D. CYRS.

Victoria, Aug. 11, 1885. au12

NOTICE.

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR in Council has been pleased to order that—

1. A vacation of the Supreme Court be, and is hereby, appointed, commencing on the 20th day of August and terminating on the 1st day of October, in the present year.

2. This order shall not interfere with the sittings of the Full Court or the Divisional Court, and shall only apply to civil proceedings.

By Command,

JNO ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
17th August, 1885. au21 1m

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WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE OF William Parsons Sayward, of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned portions of said section, bearing date the 12th day of September, 1876, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued, unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar General

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 15th July, 1885. jy16 1m

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Victoria, Aug. 10th, 1885. au11

Queen Chop House.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that he intends to apply at the next sitting of the Bench of Magistrates for Victoria City for a license to retail wines and spirits at the restaurant known as the Queen Chop House, Yates street.

au11 14t J. T. PORTER.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE DOMINion Sawmill Company can pay their accounts at the office of Mr. J. C. BALES (over Davie & Wilson's office) Bastion street.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Receiver.

au12 1m

ESTATE OF H. C. WILSON, INSOLVENT.

UNDER DEED OF ASSIGNMENT BEARING date at Victoria, September 12th, 1884, the undersigned, being Trustees hereby give notice that all claims against said estate must be sent in to the office of A. Bowan, Wharf street, for adjustment on or before the 5th Sept next, as after that date no claim against the said estate will be recognized. ALEX COWAN, E. G. PRIOR, W. F. BULLEN, Trustees

au5 1m

ESTATE OF MARTHA JENKINSON, DECEASED

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate are requested to hand them in to the undersigned.

CHAS. W. JENKINSON,
Executor.

Victoria, 14th Aug., au6 3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply to the Hon. Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase twelve acres of land, situated on the east side of Westmoreland Inlet, locally known as Pete-was, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner; thence due north, 20 chains; thence due west, 20 chains; thence due south, 20 chains; thence due east, 20 chains, more or less, to point of commencement. The location of the land desired is more particularly indicated upon the plan attached to the Minutes of Decision of the Indian Reserve Commissioner, dated 28th October, 1882. C. HARRISON.

Victoria, Aug 10th, 1885. au11 2m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEING ABOUT TO LEAVE the province, requests that all bills be presented immediately for payment; and parties owing amounts will please pay at once.

au13 3t C. D. CASPER.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND MAKING application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of land situate at Salmon River Valley, described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a post 2½ miles from the mouth of Salmon river and one-half mile east of the east bank of said river; thence south, 80 chains; thence east, 80 chains; thence north, 40 chains; thence west, 40 chains; thence north, 40 chains; thence west, 40 chains to point of commencement.

WILLIAM FOWLER.

Victoria, B.C., 4th August, 1885. au6w2m

ASSIGNEES' NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST C. MORTON, Bookseller, Stationer, &c., Government street, Victoria, B. C., must be forwarded at once to his address, and all debts due him must be paid on the premises forthwith. By order of the assignees.

J. MOB SMITH,
A. J. LANGLEY,

Victoria, July 17th, 1885. jy18dw1m

NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS PURCHASED THE business lately carried on by Pow Jung & Co., Merchant Tailors, Store street, and will continue the same as heretofore. DYE MUNG KWONG.

Victoria, July 30th, 1885. jy31 1m

NOTICE

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Joseph Hunt and Joseph Smith, trading under the style or firm of the Tiger Brewery, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Joseph Hunt will assume all liabilities and assets of the late firm and will continue the business under the name of the TIGER BREWERY

Dated the 28th day of July, A.D., 1885.

J. F. HUNT,
JOSEPH SMITH.

Witness—S. PERRY MILLS. jy29 1m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND APPLYing to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and thirty-five (335) acres of pastoral land, situate in Goldstream District, and described as follows:—Commencing at south-west corner of A Gilmore's Section, No 2; thence south, 40 chains; thence east to District line, 80 chains, more or less; thence north to shore line of Langford Lake, 40 chains, more or less; thence westerly, along the boundary lines of Sections 1 and 2, to point of commencement.

R. NUTTALL.

Victoria, B.C., 11th July, 1885. jy17

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, at its next session, by and on behalf of the settlers and owners of land situate at and upon the Matsqui Prairie, upon the Fraser River, for the passage of an Act for the relief of the said settlers and owners from the provisions of the "Sumas Dyking Act, 1878," and its amendment of 1883, and to annul and declare forfeited all rights and powers heretofore conferred by the said Act and amendment upon E. L. Derby, or his assigns, to collect assessments or interest from the applicants and to repeal such Act and amendment so far as they are concerned.

Matsqui, March 6th, 1885. mh8td

ESTATE OF THOMAS CHARLES, DECEASED

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the above estate are requested to hand them in to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons owing the said estate will please make prompt payment to HAMILTON MOFFATT,

Executor.

Victoria, B.C., April 17th, 1885. je19 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT WE INTEND TO APPLY TO THE CHIEF Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for timbering purposes the following described land, situated in the District of New Westminster:—

Commencing at a point about three miles northwest of Thunder Bay, Jervis Inlet; thence west, 480 chains; thence north, 200 chains; thence east, 240 chains; thence south, 80 chains; thence east, 240 chains; thence south, 120 chains, to point of commencement, containing 7680 acres, more or less.

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Burrard Inlet, 1st June, 1885. je18 2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will not be responsible for any debt incurred by any person assuming to act for him, unless specially authorized (by writing signed by him) to incur the same.

A. ONDERDONK,
Yale, B. C.

June 4th 1885. je5tf

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

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Witness: THEO. DAVIE. MAURICE SALMON.

August 4th, 1885. au5 1m

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Notice is therefore hereby given, that the lands so released by the said Hastings Saw Mill Company (Limited) are now reserved from pre-emption, settlement or sale until further notice.

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 6th August, 1885. au7 1m

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E. M JOHNSON, Administrator.
Office—Bastion and Government sts.

July 27th, 1885. jy28

LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870

Part (59x60 feet) of Lot No. 419, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE OF Minerva Taber Adams, of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned portion of said Lot, bearing date the 23rd day of February, 1880, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar General

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
26th June, 1885. je26td

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